

CITY OF HAYWARD AGENDA REPORT

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TO:

Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Director of Public Works

SUBJECT:

Appropriation of Funds for Giuliani Plaza Children's Park

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council appropriate \$85,000 from the Recycled Product Procurement Grant Fund and \$35,000 from Measure D Fund to purchase materials for the project.

BACKGROUND:

In January of 2004, the Downtown Committee received a report on the planned development of a children's park adjacent to Giuliani Plaza. The development of the park is a planned project of Hayward's Downtown Rotary Club. At that time, the Downtown Committee endorsed the concept of the children's park and encouraged the Rotary Club to further develop the plans and funding for the improvement.

On June 27, 2005, the Council's Downtown Committee reviewed and approved the final plans for the Giuliani Plaza Children's Park, as shown in Attachment A. The general concept is the same as previously reviewed by the Committee and has incorporated comments made by the Committee as well as staff. Access to the play area will be from the parking lot to the east. The entire area will be fenced to prevent access to either D Street or Mission Boulevard. Planned amenities include swings, slides, and other play equipment. The specific selection of playground equipment was reviewed with Hayward Area Recreation and Park District staff.

In addition to approving the plans for the Children's Park, the Downtown Committee also discussed funding options for the project. It was reported that the total cost of the project is now estimated at \$386,000, of which \$266,000 would be raised by the Rotary Club for construction of the Park, and the balance, up to \$120,000, would be contributed by the City towards the purchase of material, assuming that the project is able to incorporate eligible products up to this limit. The Committee agreed with staff's recommendation to purchase materials containing recycled products through the use of a Recycled Product Procurement Grant and Measure D funds that the City has received from the Alameda County Waste Management Authority. Because recycled material is involved, it is possible to earmark these grant funds and Measure D funds for this purpose. Unlike the General Fund, these funds are restricted dollars and can only be used to support activities that include recycling components. Including the proposed participation by the City, a total of \$338,000 in monies and "in-kind" contributions have been raised. The Rotary Club is continuing to raise the remaining necessary monies to begin the project.

Assuming that the remaining money raising is successful, the Rotary Club intends to begin construction on the site in August of this year. It is estimated that construction will last two months.

FUNDING:

As noted above, an appropriation of \$85,000 from the Recycled Product Procurement Grant Fund and an appropriation of \$35,000 from the Measure D Fund are needed in order to purchase the requisite materials for the project.

Prepared	by:

Robert A. Bauman, Deputy Director of Public Works

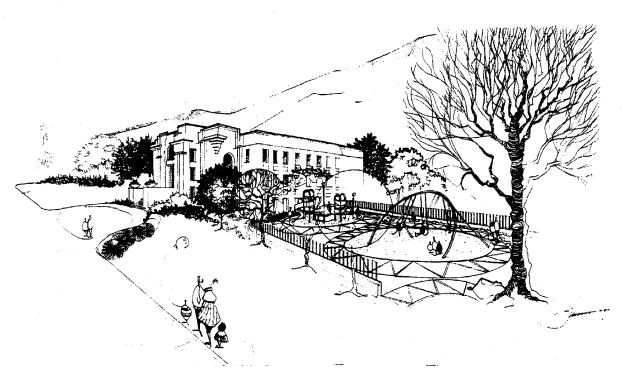
Recommended by:

Robert A. Bauman, Acting Director of Public Works

Approved by:

Jesús Armas, City Manager

Attachment A: Construction Plans - Giuliani Plaza Children's Park



Hayward Rotary Club

Children's Park at Giuliani Plaza

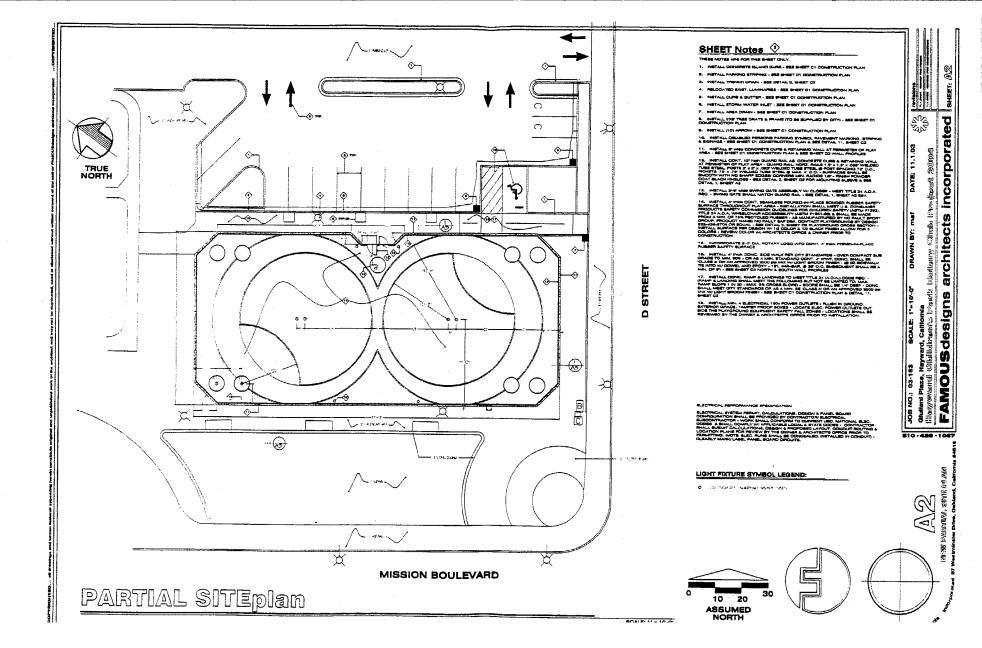


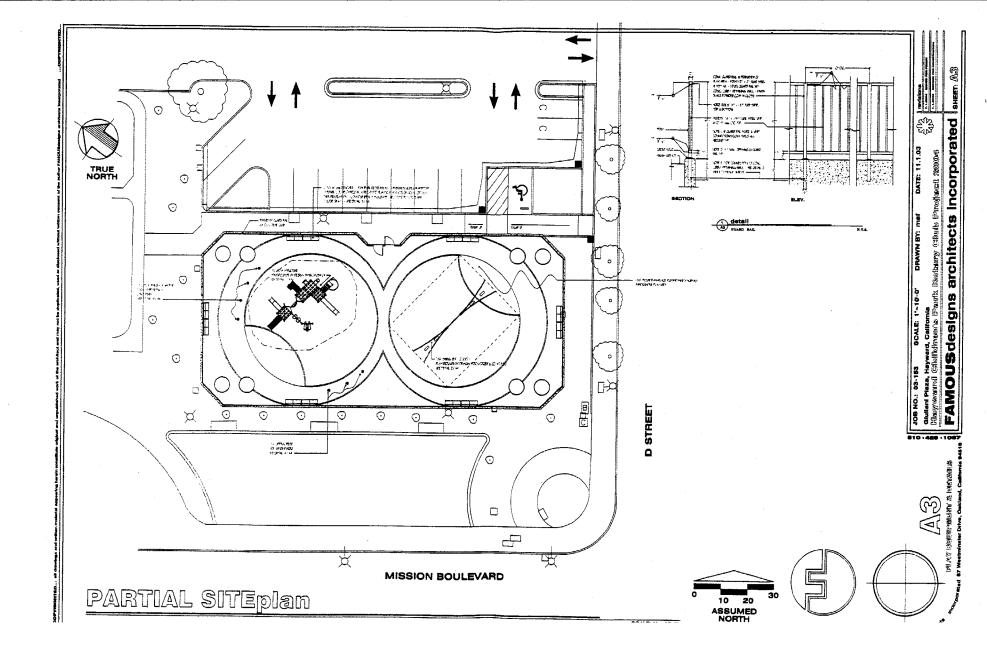


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HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 05-

Introduced by Council Member____

RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION 05-078, THE BUDGET RESOLUTION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005-06, RELATING TO AN APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS FROM THE RECYCLED PRODUCT PROCUREMENT GRANT FUND (FUND 213) AND THE MEASURE D FUND (FUND 215) TO THE GIULIANI PLAZA CHILDREN'S PARK PROJECT

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Hayward that Resolution No. 05-078, the Budget Resolution for Fiscal Year 2005-06, is hereby amended by approving an additional appropriation of \$85,000 from the Recycled Product Procurement Grant Fund (Fund 213) and \$35,000 from Measure D funds (Fund 215) to the Giuliani Plaza Children's Park Project.

IN COUNCIL, HAY WARD, CALIFORNIA, 2005
ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:
AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: MAYOR:
NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS:
ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS:
ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS:
ATTEST:City Clerk of the City of Hayward
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
City Attorney of the City of Hayward